



PATENT APPLICATION

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COMPOSITE SANDWICH JOINT
AND PROCESS FOR MAKING THE
SAME"

) Group Art Unit: 1772

) Examiner: NOLAN, SANDRA M.

) AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

<p style="text-align: center;">CERTIFICATE OF MAILING</p> <p>I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS CORRESPONDENCE IS BEING DEPOSITED WITH THE UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE AS FIRST CLASS MAIL IN AN ENVELOPE ADDRESSED TO COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS, P.O. BOX 1450, ALEXANDRIA, VA 22313-1450 ON <u>December 15, 2003</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;">MARSH FISCHMANN & BREVFOGLE LLP</p> <p>BY: <u>Bobby D. Simon</u> Bobby D. Simon</p>

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Dear Sir:

Applicant submits this Amendment and Response to address the Office Action having a mailing date of September 15, 2003. Although the Applicant believes that no fees are due for filing this Amendment and Response, please charge any fees deemed necessary to Deposit Account No. 50-1419.

Please amend the above-identified patent application as follows: